Video Audition Guidelines

Total length: 5 to 10 minutes
*Include an introduction of the student (name, age, date, studio, and hometown) at the beginning of the video.*

**Camera angles:** Please shoot all barre work in profile and face the camera for center.
Audition attire – Ladies: black leotard & pink tights; Gentlemen: white t-shirt, black tights & shoes or white shoes with white socks.

Please prepare a video of ballet technique, including but not limited to:

1. **Barre work (shot in profile)** – One side for each exercise, please show all directions, elements may be combined. Please include: Pliés, tendu, dégagé, rond de jambe à terre, fondu, développé, frappé, grand battments

2. **Center (facing the camera)** – Please include: adagio, pirouettes (en dehors and en dedans), petite allegro (with glissade, assemblé and jeté)

3. **Grand allegro combination across the floor** – include tour jeté and grand jeté

4. **Pointe work for ladies:** At the barre – relevés in arabesque on the right foot and then the left foot In the center – échappé, passé, pirouettes, pique turns, bourrées across the floor
   **Gentlemen:** Tour en l’air, turning combination, sissonne, cabriole

Please allow 5-7 days for Summer Intensive faculty to view the audition video. You will receive a notification letter via e-mail once your video has been reviewed.

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